Judge Berman

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

LEE ARNOLD, Derivatively on Behalf of ISTAR FINANCIAL INC.,

Plaintiff,

VS.

JAY SUGARMAN, JAY S. NYDICK,
CATHERINE D. RICE, GLENN R. AUGUST,)
ROBERT W. HOLMAN, JR., ROBIN
JOSEPHS, JOHN G. MCDONALD, GEORGE)
R. PUSKAR, JEFFREY A. WEBER and
CARTER MCCLELLAND,

Defendants,

-and-

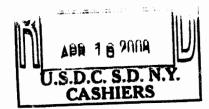
ISTAR FINANCIAL INC., a Maryland corporation,

Nominal Defendant.

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**RULE 7.1 STATEMENT** 



Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1 [formerly Local General Rule 1.9] and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Plaintiff Lee Arnold, Derivatively on Behalf of iStar Financial, Inc. (a private non-governmental party) certifies that the following are corporate parents, affiliates and/or subsidiaries of said party, which are publicly held:

No corporate parent No publicly held affiliates or subsidiaries

Date: April 16, 2008

Signature of Attorney

Attorney Bar Code: TGA-1515